

BEATS CORN RECORD

Nebraska Farms Produce Two Hundred and Forty-Four Million Bushels.

GREAT STATE FARMLY OUTDOES ITSELF

Owners of Nebraska Mortgages Can Get Their Canceling Stamp Out.

ACTIVE TIMES AHEAD IN THE FEED LOTS

Stockman Preparing to Convert the Corn Into Meat.

PROSPERITY FOR FARMER AND MERCHANT

Small Grain Shows Up Fairly Well, but Does Not Come Up to the Record of King Corn.

NEBRASKA'S CORN CROP.

Table with 2 columns: Crop Name and Quantity. Includes entries for 1899 (bushels) and 1898 (bushels) for various crops like Wheat, Oats, Rye, Barley, and Potatoes.

The figures given above represent in part what Nebraska has added to the world's wealth...

Taken alone the corn only represents a portion of the wealth which will be poured into the pockets of the farmers...

Helped by General Conditions. The soil of the state has nobly done its share toward making the farmer prosperous...

Break in the Statistics. In presenting the figures of the year's harvest it is to be regretted that there is no means available by which statistics can be obtained of several of the state's most important industries...

Will Send Marines to Cavite. WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Secretary Long has issued an order for the dispatch of another battalion of marines to Cavite...

Will Take Dead Brother's Place. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Captain C. O. Howard, formerly of Nebraska, at present living in this city, has written to Secretary of War Root...

Fighting in Panay. WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The War department has received the following cablegram: "MANILA, Oct. 24.—Hughes reports Panay insurgents driven out of Negros. Byrne struck one band, killed ten, captured three. Native troops struck another band, killed six. No casualties. OTIS."

MUSTER-OUT OF THE IOWANS

The Fifty-First Will Be Sent Home Again by Order 3.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The order was given today to the officers in charge of the Fifty-first Iowa to make every precaution possible for the mustering out of the regiment on next Saturday...

Governor Shaw visited the battleship Iowa today and was honored with salute of seventeen guns. The governor was shown all over the big boat and enjoyed the visit...

During a spirited dialogue participated in by Governor Shaw, Joseph Spear, Surveyor of the Port M. H. DeYoung and others, construction and officering of state commandments were discussed...

REBELS FIRE IN DARKNESS

General Pullon Starts Boasted Campaign at Iloilo and Important Fighting is Expected.

MANILA, Oct. 24.—5:50 p. m.—Iloilo is stirred by the expectation of important fighting. General Pullon began "unrolling the bloody scroll" as he has been called...

General Otis has prohibited the local papers from printing the arrivals, departures or any movements of troops. Aguinaldo, if he is a student of the Manila papers, has been kept posted as to the movements of every company in the army.

DELAY SHIPMENT OF TROOPS

Bad Weather Preventing on Pacific Coast Interfering with Transportation of Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Information received by the transportation department of the war department indicates that the shipment of troops to Manila has been delayed recently by the bad weather prevailing on the Pacific coast.

Allen to Command Signal Corps. LA PORTE, Ind., Oct. 24.—Colonel James Allen of this city left for San Francisco today to be assigned to the command of the signal corps in the Philippines...

Will Send Marines to Cavite. WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Secretary Long has issued an order for the dispatch of another battalion of marines to Cavite...

Will Take Dead Brother's Place. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Captain C. O. Howard, formerly of Nebraska, at present living in this city, has written to Secretary of War Root...

Fighting in Panay. WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The War department has received the following cablegram: "MANILA, Oct. 24.—Hughes reports Panay insurgents driven out of Negros. Byrne struck one band, killed ten, captured three. Native troops struck another band, killed six. No casualties. OTIS."

DESPERADO'S DARING DEED

Horsethief Shoots and Mortally Wounds a Constable Trying to Arrest Him.

HE THEN KIDNAPS THE SHERIFF'S SON

Compels the Latter, at a Revolver's Mouth, to Drive Him Many Miles and Then Turns Young Man Adrift.

Hardin Moss, constable at Loveland, Ia., was shot and probably mortally wounded about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon by a horsethief and desperado, for whose arrest he held a warrant.

The shooting occurred at a grading camp near Loveland. The desperado made good his escape in the constable's wagon, compelling Joe Morgan, a son of Sheriff Morgan, who had accompanied Moss, to take the reins and drive the wagon...

Exceedingly Nervy Transaction. Shortly after noon yesterday the sheriff's office at Council Bluffs received word that a male, which had been stolen from E. D. Lantieri of Ashland, Neb., had been taken to Loveland, where the thief was said to be. Constable Hardin Moss at Loveland was at once notified by Sheriff Morgan and he, in company with Joe Morgan, who is employed in one of Wickham's saloons, was taken to where the thief was said to be...

McCOY GOES TO ST. LOUIS

New Ruling on Status in Classified Service Regarded as an Important Departure.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Through an opinion rendered today by Attorney General Boyd of the Department of Justice regarding the classification of the employees in a free delivery postoffice, the status of the clerks in this city, of Charles T. McCoy, now employed as a clerk in the Huron (S. D.) postoffice, will be enabled to have him transferred to a position in the postoffice at St. Louis.

Quarrel Over a Parsonage

Methodist Preacher Arrested at St. Lawrence, S. D., for Trying to Move Church Property.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 24.—Rev. Mr. Nowell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at St. Lawrence, S. D., was arrested Friday to move the parsonage from St. Lawrence to Miller, and was arrested on the complaint of some people of St. Lawrence.

ALTON TO INSURE EMPLOYEES

Plan Inaugurated as Result of Prohibitory Premiums Demanded by Insurance Companies.

OHIO, Oct. 24.—A plan for insuring his employees has been inaugurated by the management of the Chicago & Alton railroad, as a result of the prohibitory premiums demanded by insurance companies.

SERIOUS BOX CAR Famine

Santa Fe and Southern Pacific Unable to Handle Their Great Freight and Walnut Crop.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 24.—The box car famine is becoming serious in southern California. In a short time the movement of the orange, dried fruit and walnut crops will begin and there are not enough cars to make a showing.

Elevator Drops Six Floors

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—The passenger elevator in the Warren-Reynolds building, 23 South Canal street, fell from the sixth floor to the basement this evening, killing one man and injuring three, two of whom were probably dead.

Deaths

At New York—Arrived—Pennsylvania, from New York for Hamburg. At Southampton—Arrived—Trave, from New York for Bremen and later arrived at Southampton.

Movements of Ocean Vessels, Oct. 24

At Glasgow—Arrived—State of Nebraska, from New York. At Yokohama—Sailed—St. Irene, for Tacoma. At Honolulu—Sailed—Kona, for Honolulu. At New York—Arrived—Statenland, from New York for Rotterdam. At Antwerp—Sailed—Hamborg, Sailed—Cypria, for Liverpool.

TWO DIE FROM STARVATION

Schooner Herra Arrives at Seattle from Cape Nome with Passengers in a Wretched Plight.

MARTIN WHITE PASSES AWAY

Omaha's Chief of Police is Now Numbered Among the Dead.

EXPIRES AFTER ONLY A BRIEF ILLNESS

Death Caused by Heart Failure Superinduced by Bilial Catarrh—Close Application to Work Shortens His Useful Life.

Chief of Police Martin White died at five minutes before 1 o'clock this morning in his room at the Merchants' hotel, after an illness extending over but about three days. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure, superinduced by an attack of bilial catarrh.

Chief White was taken sick Sunday noon and went to bed, but his sickness was not thought to be of a dangerous nature, nor until within three hours of his demise were any grave fears entertained for his life. He had been ill while in Chicago two weeks ago with an attack somewhat similar and had not fully recovered when he returned.

As soon as the fact of his death was made known, the following people called: Mayor Moore, Victor Rosewater, Police Captains Danahue and Iler, Sergeant Whalen, Detectives Drummy and Mitchell and many other officers and friends.

McCOY GOES TO ST. LOUIS

New Ruling on Status in Classified Service Regarded as an Important Departure.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Through an opinion rendered today by Attorney General Boyd of the Department of Justice regarding the classification of the employees in a free delivery postoffice, the status of the clerks in this city, of Charles T. McCoy, now employed as a clerk in the Huron (S. D.) postoffice, will be enabled to have him transferred to a position in the postoffice at St. Louis.

Biographical Sketch

Martin White was born in Chicago forty-one years ago and was educated in the public schools of that city. When a comparatively young man he entered the detective service of the Milwaukee railway and soon rose to the position of chief of the department by his close application to business and his natural shrewdness and aptitude for that sort of work.

NEW CASES OF YELLOW FEVER

Twenty-Two Patients Appear at Key West and Eleven at Miami, but the Disease is Mild.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Six new cases of yellow fever at Key West, Fla., today were reported to Surgeon General Wyman of the marine hospital service. At Miami, Fla., nineteen cases in all are reported. The marine hospital service will establish a detention camp near Miami as soon as arrangements can be made.

ALTON TO INSURE EMPLOYEES

Plan Inaugurated as Result of Prohibitory Premiums Demanded by Insurance Companies.

OHIO, Oct. 24.—A plan for insuring his employees has been inaugurated by the management of the Chicago & Alton railroad, as a result of the prohibitory premiums demanded by insurance companies.

Quarrel Over a Parsonage

Methodist Preacher Arrested at St. Lawrence, S. D., for Trying to Move Church Property.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 24.—Rev. Mr. Nowell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at St. Lawrence, S. D., was arrested Friday to move the parsonage from St. Lawrence to Miller, and was arrested on the complaint of some people of St. Lawrence.

ALTON TO INSURE EMPLOYEES

Plan Inaugurated as Result of Prohibitory Premiums Demanded by Insurance Companies.

OHIO, Oct. 24.—A plan for insuring his employees has been inaugurated by the management of the Chicago & Alton railroad, as a result of the prohibitory premiums demanded by insurance companies.

SERIOUS BOX CAR Famine

Santa Fe and Southern Pacific Unable to Handle Their Great Freight and Walnut Crop.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 24.—The box car famine is becoming serious in southern California. In a short time the movement of the orange, dried fruit and walnut crops will begin and there are not enough cars to make a showing.

MARTIN WHITE PASSES AWAY

Omaha's Chief of Police is Now Numbered Among the Dead.

EXPIRES AFTER ONLY A BRIEF ILLNESS

Death Caused by Heart Failure Superinduced by Bilial Catarrh—Close Application to Work Shortens His Useful Life.

Chief of Police Martin White died at five minutes before 1 o'clock this morning in his room at the Merchants' hotel, after an illness extending over but about three days. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure, superinduced by an attack of bilial catarrh.

Chief White was taken sick Sunday noon and went to bed, but his sickness was not thought to be of a dangerous nature, nor until within three hours of his demise were any grave fears entertained for his life. He had been ill while in Chicago two weeks ago with an attack somewhat similar and had not fully recovered when he returned.

As soon as the fact of his death was made known, the following people called: Mayor Moore, Victor Rosewater, Police Captains Danahue and Iler, Sergeant Whalen, Detectives Drummy and Mitchell and many other officers and friends.

McCOY GOES TO ST. LOUIS

New Ruling on Status in Classified Service Regarded as an Important Departure.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Through an opinion rendered today by Attorney General Boyd of the Department of Justice regarding the classification of the employees in a free delivery postoffice, the status of the clerks in this city, of Charles T. McCoy, now employed as a clerk in the Huron (S. D.) postoffice, will be enabled to have him transferred to a position in the postoffice at St. Louis.

Biographical Sketch

Martin White was born in Chicago forty-one years ago and was educated in the public schools of that city. When a comparatively young man he entered the detective service of the Milwaukee railway and soon rose to the position of chief of the department by his close application to business and his natural shrewdness and aptitude for that sort of work.

NEW CASES OF YELLOW FEVER

Twenty-Two Patients Appear at Key West and Eleven at Miami, but the Disease is Mild.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Six new cases of yellow fever at Key West, Fla., today were reported to Surgeon General Wyman of the marine hospital service. At Miami, Fla., nineteen cases in all are reported. The marine hospital service will establish a detention camp near Miami as soon as arrangements can be made.

ALTON TO INSURE EMPLOYEES

Plan Inaugurated as Result of Prohibitory Premiums Demanded by Insurance Companies.

OHIO, Oct. 24.—A plan for insuring his employees has been inaugurated by the management of the Chicago & Alton railroad, as a result of the prohibitory premiums demanded by insurance companies.

Quarrel Over a Parsonage

Methodist Preacher Arrested at St. Lawrence, S. D., for Trying to Move Church Property.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 24.—Rev. Mr. Nowell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at St. Lawrence, S. D., was arrested Friday to move the parsonage from St. Lawrence to Miller, and was arrested on the complaint of some people of St. Lawrence.

ALTON TO INSURE EMPLOYEES

Plan Inaugurated as Result of Prohibitory Premiums Demanded by Insurance Companies.

OHIO, Oct. 24.—A plan for insuring his employees has been inaugurated by the management of the Chicago & Alton railroad, as a result of the prohibitory premiums demanded by insurance companies.

SERIOUS BOX CAR Famine

Santa Fe and Southern Pacific Unable to Handle Their Great Freight and Walnut Crop.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 24.—The box car famine is becoming serious in southern California. In a short time the movement of the orange, dried fruit and walnut crops will begin and there are not enough cars to make a showing.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Forecast for Nebraska—Threatening Weather and Cooler; North-eastly Winds.

Table with 4 columns: Hour, Deg., Hour, Deg. Shows temperature forecasts for various hours.

NEWS FROM GENERAL WHITE

Dispatch from British Commander Giving Account of General Yule's Evacuation of Dundee.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The following dispatch from General Sir George Stewart White to the marquis of Lansdowne, secretary of state for war, received last evening at 11 o'clock, was posted at the war office soon after midnight.

LADYSMITH, Oct. 24.—9 p. m.—Information received yesterday showed that the Boers had established themselves in considerable number in an exceedingly strong position west of the main road leading from Ladysmith to Dundee. I also had information that the Dundee force, formerly commanded by General Symons and since his wounding commanded by General Yule, was falling back on Ladysmith by way of the Helpmaker road, Beth and the valleys of the Macabank and Sunday rivers and was expected to reach Sunday river valley today, I, therefore, moved a strong force to cover the movement of Yule.

The enemy was within about seven miles of Ladysmith in a position of great natural strength, west of the road. When he saw that preparations were being made against him he opened fire with one gun with great accuracy. Our artillery soon got into position and the gun was silenced. Our troops were ordered to occupy a strong ridge parallel to the enemy but nearer the road. I sent my efforts to occupying the ridge and my hard fought to prevent his taking action against Yule's column. Numbers of the enemy fled to the west and the firing had practically ceased at 2 o'clock.

Swift Action Needed

"I believe the first attack will be made on the large Free State force, which entered Natal by way of Tintwa pass and which has since been harassing Ladysmith. The military situation is such that it is imperative that our forces be moved to the position to cope with one large force at a time than by having two small detachments to oppose simultaneously two big Boer forces. Consequently after defeating the Free State troops they will offer battle to the Boer force which will offer battle to the Boer force."

BOERS ATTACK KIMBERLEY

News Received of Bombardment by Combined Forces of Transvaal and Fling of Truce Raised.

(Copyright, 1899, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Oct. 24.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The World's news from Kimberley, dispatched Thursday at 5:30 p. m. and which was carried by mounted messenger to Orange river and thence cabled, says: "Combined Boer attack in large force with heavy guns is expected tomorrow and should the British successfully resist ultimate success is assured." Then come the following words, as if hurriedly added: "Boers shelled the town and the town sent a flag of truce. Must close. No casualties in the bombardment."

Humor of Wildman's Recall

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 24.—The Oregonian says: "The recall from his post of duty of R. Wildman, United States consul general at Hong Kong, is imminent. It is said he is to be relieved from duty for cause and the cause is his prominence with the affairs of the Philippines rebel. The successor to Wildman will be Dr. Edward Bedloe, United States consul at Canton, who was recently called to Washington."

CAPTURE BEER GUNS

British Effectually Reverse Legend of Laing's Nek Near Ladysmith.

GENERAL FRENCH WINS A VICTORY

Drives the Transvaal Forces from Strong Position in the Hills.

BATTLE LASTS FOR SEVERAL HOURS

General Kock, Boer Commander, Wounded and Taken Prisoner.

WHITE WATCHES ACTION FROM TRAIN

Wounded Taken Back to Ladysmith in Hospital Trains and Are Being Well Cared For in Town Hall and Churches.

Wounded Taken Back to Ladysmith in Hospital Trains and Are Being Well Cared For in Town Hall and Churches.

(Copyright, 1899, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Oct. 24.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—Burling cables the Daily Telegraph received as follows: "At Ladysmith Sunday afternoon the legend of Laing's Nek was effectually reversed when a small force of British troops of all arms of the service, under General French, proceeded sixteen miles out to the Elandlaagte and after a sharp battle for several hours drove the Boers out of a remarkably strong position in the hills and captured three of the enemy's quick-firing nine-centimeter pieces and a number of wagons with stores of ammunition."

"Kock, their general, and a member of the Transvaal executive council, was wounded and is our prisoner. "Our men, both the regulars and the volunteers, did superb work and despite our losses the enemy was hard pushed from cover to cover and finally bolting ran like rabbits, throwing away their guns and clothing to facilitate their escape, even finding no time to catch and load their horses. Most of the fugitives looked as though they would keep on running for weeks. The closing hours of the battle were fought in a cold, heavy rain, which continued to fall during most of the night. Our troops bivouacked in the Boer's positions, but the wounded were sent back in trains and wagons. "I carried in a dispatch from French to White, who later on came out by train and watched the action for awhile. "The evening and night were very dark and a heavy rain was falling during the entire engagement. "The flank attack was gallantly carried out by the Manchester and Gordon Infantry and the Imperial Light Horse artillery, while the front attack, which was made with great boldness, was carried out by the Devonshire regiment. "The wounded were brought back to Ladysmith in hospital trains and are being well cared for in the town hall and in the churches, which had been previously fitted up as hospital buildings and are well-suited for the purpose. "General Buller had a question before the House of Commons today asking whether the government had any information of a coalition between the foreign powers against Great Britain. "A. J. Balfour, government leader, privately asked Buller not to put the question, which was formally postponed until Thursday, but it is not expected to be heard of again. "Balfour's action tends to give color to the apprehension of foreign trouble which is entertained in certain parliamentary circles, though the ministers have privately declared that they have received no information to support such a report."

SITUATION IN NATAL CRITICAL

Report that Boers Are Shelling the Town of Dundee with Heavy Guns.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The war office here this morning has been trying to explain the summary of the situation in Natal furnished by the commander-in-chief of the forces, Field Marshal Lord Wolsley, to the House of Commons yesterday. His statement is now being justified. He explained that the wounded could not be moved, but the fact that they had to be left to their fate while the British forces made a strategic movement to the rear shows the suspense of the house at the moment of subsequent news that they have received no information to the extent of compelling him to leave his hospitals in the hands of the Boers, while the most sanguine express the opinion that General Yule, far from retreating, has in reality advanced to meet the advance of the Boers, leaving Dundee behind, safely sheltered from a Boer assault. "In the absence of authentic news there are a number of contradictory rumors afloat, but the most reasonable interpretation of the various reports seems to indicate that there was some artillery practice at Glencoe Saturday and Sunday, but no fighting at close quarters. As, however, communication between Glencoe and Ladysmith, which was thought to have been restored by the British victory at Elandlaagte, has again been broken by the destruction of the railway bridge at Waschbank, north of Ladysmith and between Elandlaagte and Glencoe, the difficulties of the British commander in Natal, General Sir George Stewart White, in reinforcing Glencoe, have been enormously increased and until the British force and Ladysmith and Glencoe are united and the main body of the Boers is broken the situation must remain disquieting here."

Criticism Wolsley's Statement

The afternoon papers here sharply criticize Lord Wolsley's summary of the Natal situation. "The vague and varied estimates of the Boer losses and the absence of any official on the subject are also causing many givings as to whether the beaten enemy suffered proportionately to the disastrous losses of the victors. "One of the most quieting stories comes from Ladysmith. It is to the effect that